## THE WEEK IN LONDON.

POLITICAL AND SOCIAL INCIDENTS. THE CONSERVATIVE LEADERSHIP-IRISH AFFAIRS FRENCH POLITICS-SOCIAL AND PERSONAL NEWS.

IBY CABLE TO THE TRIBUNE. LONDON, Sept. 1.-Sir Stafford Northcote protests that he is not ill, thereby seeking to dispel the rumors of his intended resignation. Conservatives continue to discuss the relations between the Duke of Richmond and the Marquis of Salisbury. The closing hours of the Parliamentary session revealed remarkable divergencies in that quarter. A suspicion prevails that the ultimate leadership may pass from Lord Salisbury's hands. Three years of experience has shown the moderate Tories that the Duke of Richmond is more trustworthy than Lord Salisbury.

#### THE MADAGASCAR AFFAIR.

Mr. Shaw's release redounds to the credit of the Government, and deprives its opponents of an opportunity for making capital. The Madagascar affair also establishes the success of M. Waddington's mission. Though the official correspondence is yet unpublished, there seems to be an understanding by which the French policy will be minimized. The talked-of advance upon Antananarivo is supposed to have been abandoned, and the French claims lessened to the occupation of a solitary point on the northwest of the island.

Mr. Shaw on returning to England complains of brutal treatment during his arrest. His release justifies compensation, which his friends are demanding. Possibly they remember Lord Palmerston's success in Consul Pritchard's case against the French in Tahiti.

#### IRISH AFFAIRS.

The moderation of Mr. Parnell's speech in Dublin causes much comment. Even The Freeman's Journal lately rebuked Mr. Healy for vituperation. The Spectator says that if violence were not considered necessary to stimulate American sympathy and Irish electoral enthusiasm, we might hope for the prevalence of a rational spirit among Irish leaders; but unfortunately the men who go farthest and scream worst best command American money and Irish votes. Mr. Parnell advised agitation within constitutional limits, and his League arrangements promise great machinery at the next election.

The Glasgow dynamite arrests and the fate of the dynamite conspirators are calculated to discourage violent propositions for Mr. O'Donnell's release. MR. BRIGHT ON TEMPARANCE.

Mr. Bright's Birmingham speeches on temperance presented this usually destructive critic in the character of a constructive Conservative. His defence of the vested interests of publicans has greatly annoyed the temperance agitators, and his proposal to increase license duties in order to buy up and suppress some existing houses and to limit public houses in proportion to the population, has greatly allayed the alarm of the liquor trade. Temperance legislation is coming to the fore-front of home politics, and Mr. Bright is not the only Liberal leader who has advocated compensation if the victuallers are disturbed.

## SOUTH AFRICAN AFFAIRS.

Cetewayo has become scornful, blames the English Government for his troubles, and refuses to abide any longer by their advice. At the same time he demands their protection. Cetewayo's enemies charge England with creating anarchy by sending Cetewayo back. They demand that England treat Cetewayo as a public disturber. The Transvaa Boers are hardly less insolent, but there will be no change of the laissez faire policy of the Colonial Office till the Boer mission arrives in October.

Meanwhile indications are of a coming struggle between the Dutch and natives. Cetewayo is credited with making private overtures to the Boers. MILITARY AND NAVAL MATTERS.

The Times publishes a remarkable article showing mefficiency of the snips' fire at Alexaudria and the disadvantage of guns against forts when the latter are properly armed and constructed-private reports from the War Office on this subject almost claiming that if Alexandria had been defended and armed by German engineers there would have been no safety for the British

### FRENCH POLITICS.

English opinion of French prospects regards the Comte de Paris's opportunities as most favorable. It is known that a substantial section of Republicans, wearied of enterprises of Challemel-Lacour's school, would welcome the Comte de Paris as the next President. The French are already displaying signs of irritation concerning the concessions respecting Madagascar. There are likewise indications of anxiety to terminate the Tonquin enterprise. They are beginning to question the value of a treaty with a Pretender and to reckon the cost of maintaining a protectorate over Anam and Tonquin by force majeure. These symptoms of public uneasiness touching the restless policy of the men in office improve the Comte de Paris's prospects. Everybody admits that the Comte de Paris will refuse the White-flag and Absolutist principles. He may even have to check Royalist agitations, for his known temperament, and the declarations of the Orleanist press, indicate an intention to await an expression of public opinion. The recent foreign aggressions of the French Government would make a moderate chief like the Comte de Paris acceptable to England and Germany.

The acceptance of his Presidency is more uncertain, but the German press anticipate a possibility

### CHINA AND FRANCE.

Au opinion still prevails of the improbability of China and France avoiding a conflict. Both Powers desire to avoid a conflict, but the underhand tactics of the Chinese in Tonquin will probably force France into open hostility. If it is true that the French admiral's demonstration before Canton was to bully China instant war will follow.

### LORD ROSEBERY'S AMERICAN JOURNEY.

Lord and Lady Rosebery sailed to-day in the Pavonia from Liverpool. He intends spending a few days at Newport, at Glen Cove and at Niagara and thence will go to San Francisco, where he will embark on October 20 for Australia. He hopes to return and complete his American visit in the

THE SHAPIRA FORGERY. Mr. Ginsberg's report on the Shapira manuscripts | Europe and America left here on August 28 for Mada-

completely exposes the fraud. His interesting details respecting the manufacture of the manuscripts attract great attention, and show marvellous

#### analysis and Riblical research. MR. EDOUIN'S THEATRICAL COMPANY.

Mr. Edouin's company shows a capacity for better work than it displays in the "Bunch of Keys," The latter has provoked unfavorable comment, but notwithstanding the criticisms the piece attracts large houses and enthusiastic encores.

#### MR. IRVING'S AMERICAN TRIP.

Mr. Irving begun counting performances at Glasgow on Monday, a whole shipload of Lyceum

#### scenery being packed for transport. MISS GENEVIEVE WARD'S ENTERPRISE.

Miss Genevieve Ward is making a tour of the United Kingdom, to be extended to India, Australia, Japan, the United States and Canada.

THE STATUE OF THE DUKE OF WELLINGTON. The Conservative and aristocratic protests increase against the melting down of the colossal caricature of the Duke of Wellington.

### THE VOLCANIC ERUPTIONS IN JAVA.

SEVERAL EUROPEANS AMONG THE DEAD. BATAVIA, Sept. 1 .- The coffee and sugar crops in Bantam suffered severely from the volcanic eruptions and tidal waves. Several Europeans and officials are among the dead and missing.

THE JUNIATA ON THE WAY TO BATAVIA. WASHINGTON, Sept. 1 .- The Acting Secretary of the Navy to-day received a cable dispatch from Commander Harrington, commanding the Juniata, through the United States Dispatch Agent at London, stating that the Juniata arrived at Singapore or Friday, and that he had received the Department's cable instructions of that day, and would proceed in a few hours to Batavia to investigate the effect of the recent earthquakes at Java.

#### THE NEWFOUNDLAND GALES.

#### SAFE RETURN OF VESSELS. DRIVING BEFORE THE GALE UNDER BARE POLES-

THE SABINE'S REPORT. St. John's, N. F., Sept. 1 .- The Gloucester Fishing vessel reporter arrived at Trepassey, eighty-one miles southwest of St. John's, to-day from the Grand Bank. She drove before a gaie under bare poles from the fishing ledge to Trepassey. She had 1,700 quintals or codfish on board. Her decks were swept of everything; dories, trawls and deck gear all went by the board. The captain was lasted to the wheel all the time. He lost two of his men during

Sunday's storm. The schooner Sabine arrived here this morning. Her master, Captain Kelly, expressed grave apprebensions for the safety of the portion of the fleet anchored near him. They were all heavily loaded, and he believes they could not have survived the

TORONTO, Ont., Sept. 1 .- A well-informed and trustworthy person at St. John's, N.F., having been asked by telegraph yesterday to make a stateme the following unexpected reply. "The storm Thursday last not heavy here. Heard of no casualties worth mentioning. Some rumors of suspected losses on banks. No tidal wave whatever."

#### STORMS MET BY INCOMING SHIPS. REPORTS OF MASTERS WHO ARRIVED IN PORT

VESTERDAY. The North German Lloyd steamship Fulda, Captain Undutseb, from Bremen, which arrived here yesterday, reported that she had variable stormy winds with a high westerly sea, during her whole voyage. On August 30, in latitude 43° 30' north, longitude 53° 30' west, she met with heavy gales and tremendous seas. The wind changed from southwest to south and again from west to northwest, increasing in violence until it became a hurricane. It was accompenied by heavy sens running dangerously high. The barometer stood lowest when the wind was southwest, 29.09. Two of tue ship's boats were carried away and the engine-

room sky-light was broken in. Tue steamship Nemesia, Captain Holmes, from Lonion, on August 29, in satitude 41° 28′, longitude 60° 30′, was struck by a hurricane blowing from the southeast, veering to the south and west, thence northwest, and asting several hours. The barometer stood at 28, 40.

The steamship Venetian, Captain Trant, from Liverpool, was struck with heavy winds 200 miles east of the Banks, barely escaping a terrific gale, whose centre passed northwest of the ship. On August 29, at 10 p. m., n latitude 41° 20', longitude 62°, the vessel en countered a hurricane or cyclone with a terrific sea the southeast, veering to the from the southeast, veering to the west, the centre of the storm passing hard-by west of the ship. This lasted for three hours. The lowest bayometer was 28.90. The storm came on suddenly, without warning, and apparently ahead of barometrical indications. The barometer began rising at midnight, and the weather cleared at 2 s. m. of the following day. The air during the storm was thick and suitry. On August 30, at 6 s. m., the Venetian passed the Norwegian bark Svenneu, which had lost her main topgallant and foretopmasts, her lower masthead and jibboon. The Venetian offered ald to the bark, but none was said to be required.

e required. The Italian bark Cementina, from Catania, n oAugust 24, in latitude 39°, lengitude 66°, was struck by a nurri-cane from the south-southeast, which lasted six hours The bark passed a brig the next day, steering north whose foretopimast was gone. On August 29 the City of Ribhmond, from Liverpool, net with heavy gales in latitude 48°, longitude 44°.

# MISCELLANEOUS FOREIGN NEWS.

MARY ANDERSON'S SUCCESS IN LONDON. London, Sept. 1 .- Mary Auderson made a suc cessful debut at the Lyceum Theatre to-night, in Ingomar." The house was crowded, many Americans being present. Miss Anderson met with a reception of the warmest kind, and the favorable im-pression which she produced on the public deepened with each act. She had many recalls.

AMERICAN FISHING METHODS APPROVED. LONDON, Sept. 1 .- The circular sent to British scaports by the Executive Committee of the International Fisheries Exhibition, recommending that the American method of catching mackerel and herrings be shown to the coast population, strongly suggests that an American fishing schooner be hired to come to Great Britain and visit all the principal centres of drift-net fisheries for the purpose of demonstrating to English fishermen the mode of working the purse-seine net and its great effective-ness. The circular suggests that the expenses of the experiment be borne by the Exhibition Committee.

THE CHOLERA RECORD IN EGYPT. ALEXANDRIA, Sept. 1 .- An official report shows that there have been 27,318 deaths from cholera in Egypt since the outbreak of the epidemic. There bave been 140 deaths among the British troops stationed in Egypt. There were twelve deaths from cholera here yesterday. The death rate among the British troops in Egypt has fallen to 6 per cent.

FRENCH NEGOTIATIONS WITH CHINA. Berlin, Sept. 1.-The French Minister here attempted to reopen with the Chinese Ambassador to Germany the negotiations which were being conducted between the Marquis Tseng, the Chinese Ambassador at Paris, and M. Challemel-Lacour, the French Minister of Foreign Affairs, but which were suspended. He was referred to the Marquis Tseng.

WAR AND ANARCHY IN AFRICA. LONDON, Sept. 1 .- Intelligence has been reeived that fights occurred on the 3d and 5th of August at Coomassie between King Koffee and Mensah. Sixty of the latter's men were killed. DURBAN, Sept. 1.—Zuiuland is in a state of anarchy. Cetewayo has asked for British protection.

LONDON, Sept. 1 .- A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company from Paris says that the report of the death of the Queen of Madagascar is confirmed. A niece of the late Queen, who is hostile to the Freuch, succeeded her on the throne. DURBAN, Sept. 1.—The Malagasy envoys who visited

THE NEW QUEEN OF MADAGASCAR.

gascar. They will probably land at the southeast corner

# of the island, on their way to the capital, and thus avoid falling into the nands of the French.

ANOTHER CONSPIRATOR ARRESTED. GLASGOW, Sept, 1 .- Another Irishman, named Donnelly, has been arrested here on the charge of being connected with the attempts to destroy property here last January. The police decline to reerty here last January. The police decline to reveal the source of the information which led to the arrest of the six Irishmen yesterday. The men were all apprehended at the same time in different parts of the city. The houses in which they lived were searched by the police. The prisoners are charged with blowing up the largest gasometer in the city, destroying a railroad shed, and attempting to destroy with dynamite the aqueduct of the Forth and Clyde canal. and Clyde canal.

London, Sept. 1.-Since the conviction of Dr. Gallagher and the other dynamite conspirators in London, the police have closely pursued clews which have been obtained in regard to other conspirators, and which, it is believed, will clearly establish the fact that relations exist between illegal societies in England and America-

The six Irisbmen-Peter Calaghan, Thomas Devany, Patrick McCabe, Patrick Dunn, Terence McDermott and Henry McCaun-wife were arrested in Glasgow on rriday on suspicion of having been connected with the dynamite attempts its Glasgow on January 20, were members, O'Donovan Rossa said yesterday to a reporter of THE TRIBUNE, of the Scotch branch of the Irish Revolutionary party. He said that he knew mone of them personally, and that he did not consider the arrest an important as

AID FOR THE SLAYER OF CAREY. LONDON, Sept. 1 .- At a meeting of Irishmen held in London last night, money was subscribed to pay an eminent solicitor to defend O'Donnell, the slayer

HONORS TO THE ORLEANS PRINCES. VIENNA, Sept. 1 .- The Emperor Francis Joseph received all the Orleans Princes here yesterday. The Conitesse de Chambord has received the

Orleans Princes with a regal ceremonial. Three thousand Frenchmen have arrived at Goritz to attend the funeral of the Comte de Chambord. It is expected that 2,000 more will be present on the day of the funeral.

Mgr. Vanutelli, the Papal Nuncio at Vienna, con secrated the remains of the Comte de Chambord today in the presence of a delegate from the Emperor Francis Joseph, a number of Legitimists and others,
The certificate of death was deposited in the coffin.
LONDON, Sept. 1.—Queen Victoria has sent a
magnificent bouquet of lities and white roses to
Frohadorf to be placed on the Comte de Chambord's

St. Petersburg, Sept. 1.—The Russian Court will go into mourning five days for the Comte de

RECOMMENDATIONS AS TO CROATIA. PESTH, Sept. 1-The Pesther Lloyd says Herr Tiza, the Hungarian Prime Minister, while in Vienna, proposed that instead of allowing the Ban to act in the matter a temporary commissary go to Creatia to enforce the replacement of the Hungarian escutcheous; but it is doubtful whether he will find officials who will over his benests.

### ANTI-JEWISH RIOTS IN HUNGARY.

PESTH, Sept. 1 .- Fresh attempts at rioting against the Jews in Zaia have been suppressed by the military. Many of the rioters have been arrested. There has been a r-newal of rioting in the Zagorien district. Bands of pea-ants are parading and singing the songs of 1848 and proclaiming communistic sentiments.

CLOSING WORK OF THE GERMAN REICHSTAG. Berlin, Sept. 1 .- The treaty of commerce between Germany and Spain passed its third reading in

### NOTES FROM SOUTH AMERICA.

[BT THE CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICAN CARLE.] LIMA, Sept. 1, VIA GALVESTON, TEX .-United States Ministers Pucips and Gibbs paid a forma visit yesterday to Admiral Hughes, commander of the United States steamer Hartford.

The Diario Oficial has the following from Tacna,

under date of August 25: "The Bolivian Minister has returned from Ar-quipa. It is said that Montero vio

### FOREIGN NOTES.

LONDON, Sept. 1.—The foot-and-mouth disease is in reasing alarmingly among the cattle in England. SALZBURG, Sept. 1.-Prince Bismarck has gone to Austria. Count Knineky, the Austre-Hungarian Mincomes Affairs, accompanied him to the depot. Bertin, Sept. 1.—Baron von Manteuffel, the German Commander of Alsace-Lorraine has closed the French iterary club at Metz.

Loxnon, Sept. 1.—Ruiz Zorrilla, the Spanish Radical, Panis, Sept. 1.—The Temps attributes the authorship of The North German Guzette's recent article against France to a clumsy subordinate, and says that the article was not inspired from a high quarter. It adds that France is too absorbed in internal reconstruction to seek adventures abroad, but is not so entecled and humbled as to allow herself to be the sport of unseemly

### EX-GOVERNOR SPRAGUE'S THREAT.

#### THE NEW PRESIDENT OF THE QUIDNICK COMPANY MENACED WITH DEATH.

PROVIDENCE, Sept. 1.-The case of the Quidnick Company came up before United States Judge colt this morning. The hearing was postponed until Wednesday. It was learned that the books of the corporation had been illegally carried from this State to Pennsylvania, and are in the custody of the secretary, wno being a non-resident, cannot legally hold office

who being a non-resident, cannot legally hold office. Judge Colt refused to issue a restraining order and the assignee of the Quidnick Company appointed by the State Court, this affernoon elected new officers in the place of William Sprague, who was president and sceretary, until the recent alleged illegal election.

Stephen Harris was elected president and Charles B. Gould sceretary. Mr. narris proceeded to the office of the company and saw William Sprague and demanded possession of the property. Mr. Sprague said that he was no honger president, but that he represented the president, and if Mr. Harris attempted to take possession with the lirate man, but Mr. Sprague referrated his statement that he would kill him. Mr. Harris pleasantly remonstrated with the lirate man, but Mr. Sprague referrated his statement that he would kill him, and said that if Mr. Harris west to the mill in his absence he had men there who would throw him into a trencu a cold corpae. Mr. Harris then withdrew.

### AN UNFOUNDED REPORT.

#### A TALK WITH THE PRESIDENT OF THE AMERICAN RAPID TELEGRAPH COMPANY.

Boston, Sept. 1 .- J. W. Converse, president of the American Rapid Telegraph Company, informed a reporter this evening that there was no foundation for the report that the Merchants and Bankers' Telegraph Company had been transferred to the American Rapid. There had been some talk among the stockholders of the two companies regarding such a change, but as yet there had been no formal negotiations. Mr. Converse would not say that such a transfer was probable. "It may happen, and it may not," he said. "I cannot tell as yet, for I do not know."

### CHAMPION WITH THE FOILS.

NEWPORT, Sept. 1 .- A fencing contest between Professor Joseph Castaldi, of the Naval Training Squadron, and Professor Napoleon Zerratus, of Providence for \$500 and the championship of America, took place at the Casino to-night. Castaldi gained three home thrusts to nothing in the foils, and with the steel sabres com-pelled Zarratus to retire. Castaldi was declared the winner and champion.

### DUPLICATING PAY ACCOUNTS.

VANCOUVER, W. T., Sept. 1. - Lieutenant Robertson, of the 1st United States Cavairy, charged with duplicating pay accounts, pleaded guitty this morning, but denied having had any fraudulent in tentions. The court martial reserved its decision till Monday.

### TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

THE WOMAN SUFFRAGE ASSOCIATION.

BOSTON, Sept. 1.—The American Woman Suffrage
Association will hold its annual meeting at Brooklyn, N. Y.,
in the Academy of Music, on October 9 and 10. m the Academy of Music, on October 9 and 10.

THE BODY OF EDDIE LITTLE FOUND.

WELLS, Me., Sept. 1.—The body of Eddie Little,
the last of the victims of the drowning accident at Ogunquif
Reach, was found last evening near the spot where the
titlers were washed ashore.

THE FINANCES OF PHILADELPHIA. THE FINANCES OF PHILADELPHIA.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 1.—The annual report of
City Controller Page was completed today. It sets forth
that the appropriations for 1883 were \$14,920,437, and the
estimated expenses for the coming rear \$17,736,488. The
valuation of property in the city is \$683,612,683.

THE NORTHAMPTON ROBBERY

#### AN IMPORTANT ARREST IN THIS CITY. A PRISONER OF INSPECTOR BYRNES'S ARRAIGNED FOR

COMPLICITY IN THE CRIME. A prisoner was taken in a carriage from Police Headquarters yesterday afternoon, Inspector Byrnes, to the Jet Police Court. He was arraigned before Justice Duffy at 3:30 o'clock. The prisoner on being placed before the bar was charged with complicity in the bank robbery at Northampton, Mass., in January, 1876. Inspector Byrnes re quested that the prisoner be remanded. Turning to

the prisoner Justice Duffy asked. "What have you to say why you should not be

remanded as the Inspector desires?" "I have nothing to say, Judge, for I know I'll have to be remanded, anyhow," was the reoly. And he was accordingly remanded. On leaving the court-room he was driven back to Headquarters

where he was locked up for the night. This mysterious prisoner, who gave an alias, is rather stout, well-built man, with a rough beard of recent growth. He was fairly well dressed, and in his manner and language showed himself a man of some education and accustomed to associate with gentlemen. He was perfectly cool and entirely self-possessed while before Justice Duffy, and, as

one of the detectives in the case expressed it. "If he's guilty it was no new experience for him to be arraigned; if he's innocent he knows he's got

Although the man was arrested in Wall-st. yes terday. Inspector Byrnes refused to give any information on the subject, and the Inspector on duty a headquarters last night fairly revelled in the density of his ignorance on the subject. To far as he knew he said, there was no such prisoner at Headquarters, because there was no record on the blotter of such an arrest, or of such a prisoner's being re

manded. The Northampton National Bank robbery occurred on the night of January 26, 1876, and nearly \$2,000,000 in money and bonds was secured. Seven men were engaged in the crime. They gagged Cashier Whittlesy and his family, and compelled that official to divulge the combination of the lock. The men engaged in the burglary were Thomas Dunlap, William Scott, "Shang" Draper, James Burns, Robert Howard, and "Billy" Connor. "Red" Leary was believed to have been associated with them William D. Edson, who had been a travelling agent for Herring & Co., and indi-cated places where bank burglaries would

cated places where bank burglaries would be possible, turned State's evidence because the spoils were not shared with him satisfactorily.

Leo Scott and Duniap were sentenced to twenty years' imprisonment each. Draper was captured in 1877. Inoward is dead. "Billy" Counors was recaptured on February 4, 1881, as he was going out of a dram shop in Philadelphia and was sent to Northampton for trial. Connors was first sentenced in 1877 and was confined in the Ludlow street Jail. Pending his extraintion he secured the impression of the key of the jail and walked out at meal time. John, alias "Red," Leary escaped from the Luniow Street Jail in 1879 by the aid of friends who engaged a brick house adjoining the jail; Leary took out the bricks of the wall and escaped on learning that his extradition had been granted. He was recaptured in Brooklyu on February 4, 1881. Leary was first arrested in 1879 on a civil suit to recover the proceeds of the robbery, a part of which he was known to have, although there was no evidence of his participation in the crime,

### FRANK JAMES'S DEFENCE.

NOT IN MISSOURI AT THE TIME OF THE WINSTON TRAIN ROBBERY. Sr. Louis, Sept. 1 .- Dispatches from Gallatin,

Mo., received late last night, give an additional report of the Frank James trial.

Frank James, continuing his testimony, said; "Between the 10th and 15th of May, 1881, I went to Louisville and thence to Clay County, Tex. I went to Mrs. Palmer's in June and stayed five or six weeks. I went from there into the Indian Nation, a distance of 120 miles. I returned to Mrs. Palmer's when I heard of the Winston robbery, because I supposed would be looked for as having had a hand in that transaction. While away on tast trip I hear I of the Blue Cut robbery. When I left Tennessee I instructed my wife to see General Snelby and see if anything render if I could have a fair and imparital trial. I told her if nothing could be done to go to her brothers in California, which she did. In Texas my health was bad. From there I rewe travelled through Tennessee, Virginia and North Carolina looking for a secluded place of residence, and finally returned to Lynchburg, Va. In April I heard of Jesse's assassination. I saw an interview with Governor Crittenden in which he stated when the question was asked What about Frank James I' that as none of Frank's friends had ever said anything to him about it, he wouldn't say what he would do. This gave me the hope that I might be permitted to give myself up and have a fair trial. I had nothing to do with shipping arms into Missouri, and was not in the

State from the time I went to Tennessee in 1876 to when I passed through it from Texas in 1881." Upon cross-examination Frank James said: "I went to Tenuessee in a wagon. Jesse and I separated in southeast Missouri. I don't know where he went then I have known Liddeli for several years. I remember having had an interview with Frank O'Neili. I do not remember whether I made the statehent ascribed, if so, it was a statement to the newspapers, but now I am stating the lacis under oath." When asked to describe the route from Denlson, Fox., to the house of his slater, Mrs. Palmer, the defendant, could not give it minutely, nor the names of the persons with nim. He stated that while in Clay County, Texus, he got sequanted with a cowboy named Haynes, employed by J. II. stone & Co.

The deiense then rested the case, and the court adjourned. The State introduced witnesses in rebuttal today, after which come the instruction to the jury. On Monday the arguments will begin. I have known Liddell for several years. I remember

### COMING RACES AT PITTSBURG.

PITTSBURG, Sept. 1. - Arrangements have seen completed for a regatta on the Hulton course, Allegheny River, on September 25, 26 and 27. H. O. Price of this city offers \$3,000 in prizes, to be distributed as follows: \$1,000, free for all, single sculis; \$1,000, free for all, four-oared crews; consolation purse of \$300. for a local race \$450, and for the fastest time, if better than Teemer's record, \$250. The entries which are free close on September 12. Robert Liddell, ex-Mayor of this city, has been chosen referee.

### THE MISSOURI ROADSIDE MURDER.

St. Louis, Sept. 1 .- John Marsden and James and Thomas Moss were held at Antonia yesterday, with-out ball, on a charge of having killed "Mack" Maraden and of having mortally wounded Allen Hauley. The latter was not dead at 6 o'clock last night, but will die. The Coroner's jury found that "Mack" Marsden came to his death by gunshot wounds, inflicted by unknown per-

### HELD FOR ABDUCTION.

PORT JERVIS, N. Y., Sept. 1 .- At the hearing to-day in the elopement case in which Charles Roe, a bookkeeper, was charged with abducting Idlewild Garduer, age sixteen, the prisoner was held until Monday on account of the hysterical condition of Mrs. Gardiner, occasioned by the elopement. It is now learned that Roe is from Sea Clift, N. J.

#### SUSPENSION OF A STOCK BROKER, PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 1.—The suspension of

William H. Hariey, jr., stock broker, is announced. His Habilities are not large. He was short of New-Jersey Central, Northern Pacifics and Reading, and several blocks of those stocks were bought for his account under the rule.

### CHINESE SEEKING CITIZENSHIP.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 1.—Three Chinese Lee You, Lee Ing and R. Bund, appeared at the office of the Prothonotary to-day and put on record their inten-tion to become citizens of the United States.

AN ATTEMPT AT SUICIDE FRUSTRATED. Teresa Carta, an Italian woman, age sev-

enty, who refused to state where she lived, attempted

yesterday afternoon to kill herself by jumping into the East River at Twenty-second-st. She was rescued by a passer-by and taken to Bellevue Hospital.

### THE FIRE RECORD.

FOREST FIRES ON LONG ISLAND. Fires have been burning since Thursday in

he scrub oaks and pines on the line of the Long Island Railroad, between Farming lale and Deer Park, and Brentwood, and Central Islip, and the flames are still spreading. There is little standing timber where the fires are burning, however, and the only damage so far has been to fences. Reports have been spread of the destruction of dwellings, but they are without founda-tion. The farmers in the vicinity of the fire are fight-ing it, and the villages of Central Islip, Brentwood and Farming tale are in no wise endangered.

#### WATERTOWN, N. Y. Sept. 1 .- Loring & Avery's tannery at Sandy Creek, Oswego County, with the stock in it and hundreds of cords of bark, was burned this morning. The loss is estimated at \$150,000; in

TANNERY BURNED AT SANDY CREEK.

LOSSES IN VARIOUS PLACES. Easton Penn., Sept. 1 .- The grist-mill, sawmill, wagon-house and iumber shed of Israel Heyer, at Moorestown, this county, were burned last night, lose \$18,000, insurance about \$7,000, of which \$2,200 is in the Northampton Mutusi, \$3,000 in the Farmer' Union Mutusi, and \$1,000 in the G rmania of New-York. BLOOMIMOTON, Ill., Sept. 1.—At miduigat last night,

eleven Norman horses recently imported were smothered in a burning barn owned by Stubbledeld & Co. The loss is about \$20,000. GALVESTON, Fex., Sept. 1 .- Dispatches to The News from San Antonio state that 1,500 acres of Colonel Hord's pasture, together with \$15,000 worth of hay and half a mile of fence, have been destroyed by an incendi-

A dispatch to The News from Colorado, Tex., Says that haif a block of business houses at Grand Central and Second-sts. was burned yesterday. The loss is \$49,000, insurance \$10,000.

### THE ALLEGED HAZING BY CADETS.

#### THE TESTIMONY IN YOUNG'S CASE CONCLUDED.

ANNAPOLIS, Sept. 1 .- To-day the Court took ip D. M. Young's case, which was begun yesterday. William P. Evre, fourth class man, testified that Young did not molest or annoy him. C. E. Hawks did, on berth deck forward. Witness was put through a slight mock drill in the wash-room; thinks Young was present a short time; thinks he did not say anything. The presence of Young in the wash-room tended to intimidate him, while he was not drilling. His presence alone and not his actions intimidated the witness. Edward H. annoyed or molested him; Young was present in wash-room when witness was put through a mock drill; he ook no part. Mark L. Bristol testified that Young did not molest

um, either on the berth deck or in the wash-room; did not see him at the mock trial. This concluded Young's case.

The Court adjourned at 3:40 o'clock. Lieutenant Wood was relieved as a member of the Court, having been suddenly called to als dying mother. The Cour. will reassemble Monday, when the new member of the Court will be appointed in Lieutenant Wood's piace, after which the case of Cadet Andrews will be taken up.

### INJURED BY A WILD STEER.

CHILDREN TRAMPLED UPON IN THE STREETS OF CHARLESTOWN, MASS.

Boston, Sept. 1 .- While some cattle were eing loaded upon an English steamer at the Hoosac Tunnel dock, in the Charlestown district, this morning, s steer escaped and ran at full speed down the Mr. Barrett, of Reading, was knocked down and severely bruised. The steer ran to Cambridge, endeavoring to ook all who came in his way. On reaching Cambridge he turned back and, when near City Square, Charles-town, attacked three young children who were terribly broised. He tann rushed down one of the warves in the vienity and jumped overboard. He was finally cap-tured and killed. Great excitement provailed, the streets heins crowded.

### A RAILROAD AS A REFORMER.

DODGE CITY PROMISES TO AMEND ITS WAYS -THE

ATCHISON, TOPEKA AND SANTA FE'S ACTION. Dodge City, Kan., Sept. 1 .- The City Councii last night instructed the marshal to enforce the ordinance against gambling after September 6. An ordinance has also been adopted prohibiting music in liquor stores and dance houses. This action was brought about by the officials of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fé Railroad, who assured the city authorities that if any effort was made to reform municipal affairs a branch road would come here, and that the company would at once begin the erection of permanent and expensive build-ings. If no such effort was made, all their shops would be removed and the road taken to some other point. Several railroad officials were here in a special car awaiting the action of the Council, and are perfectly sat-

### SLADE AND MITCHELL,

MADDEN SUSPECTED OF INTENTIONALLY PREVENT-

ING THE PRIZE FIGHT. ATCHINSON, Kan., Sept. 1.-The fact that the fight between Stade and Mitchell has been declared off causes much comment here. The general opinion among sporting men is that Madden, Mitchell's backer, was de termined to get the fight declared off because he had come to the conclusion that his man was no match for Slade, who is much disappointed. Slade, his manager Rice, and his trainer, Brighton, are still here and Mace is expected. It is reported that Rice says he will back Slade for from \$5,000 to \$10,000 against Mitchell. It is evident, however, that all the pugilists are afraid of the Kansas authorities, the law of tans State making prize-fighting a penitentiary offence. Slade received a letter from John L. Sullivan recently in which the latter stated that he intended to back the Maori heavily, and was confident of his success.

### A REUNION OF VETERANS.

THE FIFTEENTH NEW JERSEY VOLUNTEERS TO MEET

NEWTON, N. J., Sept. 1 .- The 15th New-Jersey Volunteers will hold their annual reunion at this place on September 19, No effort will be spared by the citizens of Sussex County to make the affair a success, and it is expected that the veterans will be given a hearty reception. Many posts of the Grand Army of the Republic, the Newto Department and civic societies will have places in the precession, which is expected to be one of the largest of the kind ever witnessed in this part of the State. The Governor of New-Jersey and Generals Grant, Hancock and Ramsey have been invited to take part in the exer-cises. Orations will be delivered Senator Cochran and John Emery, of Flemington.

### POISONED BY A VAGRANT'S WHISKEY.

LANCASTER, Penn., Sept. 1 .- John Senor, of this city, while out fishing near here on Friday afternoon, was approached by stranger, who offered him drink of what he said was whiskey. Senor accepted the invitation. He was immediately taken sick and now lies in a very critical condition from strychnine poison-ing. The stranger, who was a vagrant, made his escape.

### YELLOW FEVER AT PENSACOLA.

PENSACOLA, Fla., Sept. 1.-There were two new cases of yellow fever at the Navy Yard. Mrs Brown, wife of Paymaster Brown, is convalescent. Dr. Basso, the notorious yellow fever "medicine man,' is ill at the Navy Yard. SUSPECTED OF EMBEZZLEMENT.

## warrants are out for the arrest of Aiva Loucks, State Attorney for Peoria County. There is an alleged short-age of \$10,000 in his accounts. CRIMES AND CASUALTIES-BY TELEGRAPH.

CHICAGO, Sept. 1 .- A dispatch reports that

A CHILD BURNED TO DEATH. POTTSTOWN, Penn., Sept. 1.—While playing with matches yesterday afternoon. Richard and Cyrus. Richards, ages respectively six and lower, so, are to their father's barn and wagen house at Coventryville, Chester County, about six miles from this piace. Both buildings, with their contents, were destroyed, and Cyrus. Richards porished in the

were destroyed, and Cytus Richards persisted in the sames.

SUICIDE OF AN OLD SOLDIER.

NORRISTOWN, Penn., Sept. 1.—John W. Rapp, age sixty-six, a hostler at Stoughton R. Carke's Hotel, at the Broad Axs, this county, hung himself yesterday in a haymow. He was an old soldier and came to this country only recently.

TO BE BROUGHT HOME FOR TRIAL.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 1.—I'he Acting Secretary of the Navy has cabled Commander Brown, commanding the Jamestown, now on the European station, to receive Fetch Lagoff from the civil suthorities at Gibraitar and bring him to the United States, Lagoff is the mate of an American merchant vessel, who was arrested at Gibraitar on a charge of inciting his crew to mutiny.

# PRICE FIVE CENTS

#### SAN FRANCISCO.

COURTESIES TO THE KNIGHTS-ARMS FOR CHINA-THE SKERRETT MURDER.

IBY TELEGRAPH TO THE TRIBUNE. SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 1 .- Nearly all the Knights Templars have departed, and the only traces of con clave week are the triumphal arches and stream of flags bearing knightly mottoes. The wooden figures of knights have retired from the fronts of stores and the Templars on horseback who adorned the lobby of the Baldwin Theatre went up in flame and smoke, having eaught fire from a gas jet. The knights all departed with hearty gratitude for the many courtesies received. The conclave gave the State the best advertising it has had for some time. Santa Ciara Valley in the time of harvest and vintage was especially attractive to visitors accustomed to the less luxuriant vegetation and smaller fruit crops of Eastern States. This week several excursions were arranged for the knights who remained over a few days. The chief trip was to mained over a few days. The County fair is in progress and where the strangers were entertain in a generous fashion, The Viticultural Exhibition now in session here has also attracted

The shipment of arms to China still continues, the greater part of the consignments being made, as heretofore, to Schmidt, the German merchant at Shanghai, while the remainder are consigned to Yokohama, One of the principal officers of the Pacific Mail Steamship Company aid these arms were for the Chinese Government. On the steamship which will leave on Tuesday there are 100 cases of firearms, 400,000 cartridges and 500 bales of heavy sheeting for tents. The Chinese Consul here feels very sore over the French victory in Tenquin. Despite their disclaimers, there is small doubt that many Chinese were aiding the Anamese, and only a week ago the Vice-Consul was confident that the French would be defeated.

many, and its discussions, with exhibits of practical work, proved valuable to those seeking facts about

what promises to be the chief Californian industry

The British ship Poonah, which arrived on Wednesday from the Fiji Islands, created a sensation, as it was reported that she had cholers on board. The facts were that on the voyage from Calcutta to Fiji twenty passengers died of the disease. Then the ship was fumigated and came here, where she, is being again disinfected, so that the fears were groundless. The promptness with which she was quarantined and overhauled shows how strict is the guard here against cholera and

James Dods, the embezzling County Clerk of Oakland, who pleaded insanity as an excuse for theft, was sent to San Quentin for five years. As he is an old man it will probably be a tife-sentence

The investigations by the police show clearly that the man who murdered Mr. Skerrett, the pioneer, was without an accomplice. His trial will come on next week, and if he cannot be brought to the gallows the courts might as well take a vacation, for the testimony against him is overwhelming.

The theatres are all open and are doing a good business, but there is nothing new on the The Union Square Company is playing the " Danischeffs," and George Holland's Company is giving "Our American Cousin."

### CHICAGO.

NORTHERN PACIFIC GUESTS-RELIGIOUS

#### AND POLITICAL. BY TELEGRAPH TO THE TRIBUNE.

CHICAGO, Sept. 1.-The city is all astir with the arrival of the guests of the Northern Pacific Railroad, and although the municipality itself has extended no formal welcome, the citizens are doing everything in their power to make the brief stay of the foreigners a pleasant one. They have been wined and dined. They have been on the Board of Trade and with operations. They have been out to the magical little City of Pullman and seen one of the most marvellous three years' growths in the world. They have visited the stock yards and seen the American hog on his native heath, and to-day they rode about in quest of the lions. The interviewers bave had them in tow also, the English and Americans taking naturally to the operation. The Germans, however, protest. One of them expressed the sentiment of all when he said to a reporter: " For goodness' sake, leave us alone and let us rest, America is a beautiful country. You are all firstrate fellows, and sure to become the rulers of the universe; but for the sake of humanity let us alose, we want rest." A somewhat amusing incident occurred at the time of the visit of the members of the party to Pullman. When they arrived at the depot there was no one ready to receive them. Mr. Pull-man himself arrived on a later train and there was some misunderstanding about the instructions to his representatives. After waiting for some time E. Y. Bell, a New-York lawyer, proved himself equal to the occasion. Raising his umbrella with one hand and his hat with the other, he gravely said: "Gentlemen, I am delighted to have the pleasure of welcoming you to Pullman. On hehalf of the Pullman Palace Car Company I bid you welcome. I am a New-York man and don't know much about Pullman or its company, but I guess I can steer you safely over the place. Let us strike

out." They "struck out," but Mr. Bell was shortly relieved of his duties as guide. The Chicago and Northwestern division of the Villard party left the city to-day, accompanied by

a committee of citizens from St. Paul.

Many of the merchants and manufacturers of this city have leagued themselves together in common defense against railway corporations and pools, upder the title of the Chicago Freight Bureau, for the following purposes, as stated in the constitution which was adopted yesterday: To give the railroad and transportation companies such information regarding the various lines of the goods it represents as shall insure their proper classification; to secure treight rates to all shipping points that shall in no case discriminate against Chicago; to assist in adjusting claims for losses, damages or overcharges; and to render its services to members individually and collectively in all matters pertaining to the transportation of merchandise as extension of the trade of Chicago. Twenty-five of the strongest tirms of the city have become members of the organization, and others will come in now that an organization has been perfected.

The local religious world is just now occupied in getting ready for the forthcoming Christian Con-vention, which is to be held here under the auspices of Moody and Sankey, beginning on September 18, A male choir of 100 voices will lead the singing, and the general exercises will be under Mr. Moody's personal direction. From this time until the convention meets, Major Whittle, Mr. Granali and the evangelists will conduct a series of preparatory meetings and Bible readings.

There are signs of a break among the Germans of this city, and a prospect of their return to the Republican ranks. They are disgusted with the Irish appointments made by the Mayor, and the snubbiag they have received. The Staats-Zeitung boldiy an-nounces its disgust. The Freie Presse, the Democratic organ, says: "The Democratic leaders in the city and in the country have treated citizens of German birth with such insulting contempt that a strong reaction has taken place, which has already forced on the Democratic leaders the de-